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1. COMMUNIQUE ISSUED PYONGYANG BY GOT PRESIDENT EYADEMA AND
NORTH KOREAN PRESIDENT KIM IL SUNG ON SEPTEMBER 12 CONTAINS
FOLLOWING MAJOR POINTS:

A) IN NUMEROUS DISCUSSIONS TWO PRESIDENTS REVIEWED THEIR
DOMESTIC SITUATIONS AND INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS.

B) TOGOLESE DELEGATION ADMIRES SPLENDID ACHIEVEMENTS OF KOREAN
PEOPLE IN ALL ASPECTS NATION-BUILDING UNDER CLAIRVOYANT DIRECTION
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OF GREAT LEADER, WELL-LOVED AND RESPECTED KIM IL SUNG. TOGOLESE

SUPPORT COMPLETELY STRUGGLE OF KOREAN PEOPLE TO END DIVISION OF KOREA, CREATED AND MAINTAINED THROUGH IMPERIALISM, AND TO BRING ABOUT INDEPENDENT AND PEACEFUL REUNIFICATION OF COUNTRY WITHOUT ANY FOREIGN INTERVENTION.

C) KOREAN DELEGATION ADMIRES FACT THAT TOGOLESE PEOPLE UNDER EYADEMA'S EMINENT LEADERSHIP ARE REALIZING ECONOMIC INDEPENDENCE. KOREANS APPRECIATE TOGOLESE SUCCESS IN STRUGGLE TO REINFORCE NATIONAL UNITY AND BUILD NATIONAL ECONOMY AND CULTURE, WHILE THWARTING MANEUVERS OF DESTRUCTION AND SABOTAGE OF ALL KINDS BY IMPERIALISTS.

D) TWO PARTIES CONSIDER THE PRESENT A NEW HISTORICAL ERA IN WHICH COLONIALISM AND IMPERIALISM ARE COLLAPSING IRREVERSIBLY, AN AGE IN WHICH PEOPLE OF THIRD WORLD, REPPRESSED AND SCORND IN PAST, ARE ASSERTING THEMSELVES IN INTERNATIONAL AREAN AND MOVING VIGOROUSLY TOWARD SOVEREIGNTY AND INDEPENDENCE.

E) AS REGARDS INTERNATIONAL SITUATION, PARTICULARLY IN ASIA, AFRICA AND LATIN AMERICA, TWO PRESIDENTS NOTE WITH SATISFACTION RECENT SUCCESSES ACHIEVED BY THIRD WORLD OVER IMPERIALIST OPPRESSOR. THEY DEPLORE CONTINUATION OF STATE OF WAR IN VIETNAM AND CAMBODIA, OWING TO PERFIDIOUS MANEUVERS OF INVADING IMPERIALISTS, AND SUPPORT LAO PEOPLE IN NEW STRUGGLE TO BUILD UNIFIED AND INDEPENDENT LAOS.

F) TWO CHIEFS OF STATE CONGRATULATE VICTORY OF AFRICAN LIBERATION MOVEMENTS IN GUINEA-BISSAU, ANGOLA AND MOZAMBIQUE AND EXPRESS FIRM SOLIDARITY WITH PEOPLES OF ZIMBABWE, NAMIBIA AND SOUTH AFRICA IN STRUGGLE AGAINST UNREPENTANT COLONIALISM AND INHUMANE RACISM. THEY FORCEFULLY CONDEMN IGNOMINIOUS PRACTICE OF APARTHEID IN SOUTH AFRICA AND RHODESIA.

G) TWO PRESIDENTS GREATLY APPRECIATE POSITIVE ROLE OF ORGANIZATION AFRICAN UNITY TO RID AFRICAN CONTINENT OF COLONIALISM, NEO-COLONIALISM AND IMPERIALISM IN ALL ITS FORMS AND TO REALIZE INDISPENSABLE AFRICAN UNITY. THEY EXPRESS ACTIVE SOLIDARITY WITH ARAB PEOPLES IN FIGHT AGAINST IMPERIALIST ZIONISM FOR RECOVERY OF OCCUPIED TERRITORIES AND LEGITIMATE UNCLASSIFIED

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RIGHTS OF PALESTINIANS AND WITH PEOPLES OF LATIN AMERICA IN STRUGGLE AGAINST IMPERIALISM, FOR DEFENSE OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND TERRITORIAL WATERS AND FOR CONSOLIDATION OF NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE.

H) TWO PRESIDENTS NOTE WITH COMPLETE SATISFACTION COMMON POSITION ADOPTED BY STATES OF THIRD WORLD AT FOURTH NON-ALIGNED SUMMIT AND AT SIXTH SPECIAL UNGA SESSION ON RAW MATERIALS AND

DEVELOPMENT, AS WELL AS AT THIRD UN SESSION ON LAW OF SEA.
THEY ARE FIRMLY CONVINCED THAT, IF THIRD WORLD COUNTRIES COULD
COORDINATE EFFORTS IN POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC DOMAIN, THEY
WOULD SUCCEED IN CONQUERING DIVISIVE IMPERIALISM.

I) LEADERS SIGNED AGREEMENT ON ECONOMIC AND TECHNICAL
COOPERATION.

J) TOGOLESE PRESIDENT INVITES NORTH KOREAN LEADER FOR
OFFICIAL VISIT TO TOGO; LATTER ACCEPTS INVITATION TO WHICH HE
WILL RESPOND WHEN CIRCUMSTANCES PERMIT.RAWLS

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